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Lincoln, a number of areas. There were people from Holdrege. In fact the hunter of the year, a young lady from Holdrege, I believe it was, came in and testified. I don't hunt much other than quail and pheasant, but I respect those peoples' rights who do hunt and this is what I'm trying to do. It's a legal sport. If those people who want to stop hunting want to stop it, then introduce legislation to make it illegal and do away with it. Until that time when people buy permits and licenses and spend 3,000, \$4,000 as they have in some states to buy big game permits, when they spend this kind of money they have a right to expect that they can accomplish this in a respectable manner. I respect the opinion of those people who oppose this kind of legislation. I ask them to respect ours and ask for your advancement of the bill.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Chizek. We'll now vote on the motion to advance LB 191. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay on the motion to advance the bill.

PRESIDENT MOUL: LB 191 is advanced. I would like to now call the senators' attention to the area under the south balcony. Special guests today of Senator Peterson are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schulze of Tilden, Nebraska. Would you please rise and be recognized. Welcome to the Chamber today. Thank you. We'll proceed with General File, LB 823.

ASSISTANT CLERK: LB 823 was introduced by Senators Lynch and Hall. (Read title.) The bill was read for the first time on January 23 of last year. It was referred to the Health and Human Services Committee. That committee reports the bill to General File with committee amendments.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Madam President and members. LB 823 as introduced by Senator Lynch and Senator Hall was heard last session by the Health and Human Services Committee and was unanimously advanced to the floor. It deals with the issue of preplacement home studies on adoption cases. Currently the situation is that preplacement home studies occur in licensed adoption agencies but was not necessarily the case in